

ing, (such as had never been seen by many Persons before) some, who had Resolution enough to speak in favour of your Remonstrant, were threatned to be duckt in a Mill Pond, or dragged through a Fire alighted for the use of a sick Vestry Man in the Church yard; That M<sup>r</sup> White was really seized to be thrown into the Mill Pond, That your Remonstrant was there severely threatned, should he dare to appear again, and two hundred Men agreed, by the Encouragement of the Leaders, to oppose him should he attempt to Preach at Dividing Creek Chappel as he intended when he should return, that the Churches were then better secured against the Ministers Entrance, with threats to shoot him down should he attempt to open them.

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That your Remonstrant, informed of these proceedings by Letters, repaired to his Parish and found the Intelligence he had received confirmed by the most reputable People, who had it from some sober well disposed Persons then and there present, that, having an Opportunity of a Passage to Annapolis with two Gentlemen, he set out there for Advice. That, on the day he parted from Annamassick, all the Vestry Men and the Church Wardens in Arms, (to the Terror of some Honest Men and Familys,) with Swamp Men and Shingle Makers, and the rest of their Banditti, which they had been collecting for two days and Nights, appeared one time at Rahoboth, and again at Annamassick, to oppose his Entrance into either Church.

That, at Annapolis, your Remonstrant had the Happiness to meet with a Gentleman well acquainted in the former disputes of that Parish, of transcendant Abilities, and Superior knowledge in the Law, who from a benevolent disposition to promote Peace and Tranquility, gratuitously condescended to state the nature of the former disputes, to lay my Lord Proprietor's Rights and their own Laws clearly before them, a true and exact Copy of which, compared before Witness, your Remonstrant sent to M<sup>r</sup> Allen, and, after five Weeks, received the Letter that goes with this Remonstrance, in which they avow their design of opposing force by force.

That Madam Henry, Planner Williams Esq<sup>rs</sup> Thomas Williams, Cap<sup>t</sup> Horsey, Benjamin Langford &c. have been threatned with having their Houses torn down, and their Effects destroyed, for admitting your Remonstrant into their Houses; That, on the Road to his Duty, shots were fired from a certain House, and the Cause of it boasted of, this, and the Report of a Thousand Men to pull down the House of one M<sup>r</sup> Cullen, where your Remonstrant was to preach, was industriously propagated by their Emmisaries, to frighten him out